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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b>		Attorney Docket No.	V2003019	
		First Inventor	Stephen P. Fenton	
		Title	PLUG INSTALLATION SYSTEM FOR DEEP WATER SUBSEA WELLS	
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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1.  Fee Transmittal Form PTO/SB/17 (in duplicate)
2.  Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
3.  Specification [Total Pages 46]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
  - Reference to a sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 16]
5.  Oath or Declaration [Total Sheets 3]
  - a.  Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 19 completed)
    - i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76.
7.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

19. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Continuation     Divisional     Continuation-in-part (CIP)    of prior application No. 10/340,122

Prior Application Information:    Examiner: Beach, Thomas A.    Group Art Unit: 3671

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Large Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid		
1001	\$770	2001	\$385	Utility Filing Fee	\$ 770.00	1401	\$ 330
1002	\$340	2002	\$170	Design Filing Fee	\$	1402	\$ 330
1003	\$530	2003	\$265	Plant Filing Fee	\$	1403	\$ 290
1004	\$770	2004	\$385	Reissue Filing Fee	\$	1451	\$1,510
1005	\$160	2005	\$ 80	Provisional Filing Fee	\$	1452	\$ 110
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**2. Extra Claim Fees for Utility and Reissue**

Claims	Extra	Fee (below)	Fee Paid		
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\$ 86	\$ 43	Independent claims in excess of 3	1801	\$ 770	
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the following documents:

1. Patent Application;
2. Utility Patent Application Transmittal;
3. Fee Transmittal;
4. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
5. Associate Power of Attorney;
6. Assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet;
7. Certificate of Express Mail Under 37 CFR § 1.10; and
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